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house. The system optionally includes an actuator for effecting the environment of operation, allowing closed-loop feedback operation and

automated learning.

L6 ANSWER 2 OF 34 ATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999:84486 USPATFULL

External device for eluding masculine impotence TITLE:

Vergara, Roberto Jose Romero, Turina 10-10., 47006 INVENTOR(S):

Valladolid, Spain

NUMBER DATE _____

US 5928134 19990727 PATENT INFORMATION: US 1997-789956 19970130 (8) APPLICATION INFO.:

NUMBER DATE

PRIORITY INFORMATION: ES 1996-211 19960130

DOCUMENT TYPE: Utility
PRIMARY EXAMINER: Brown, Michael A.

LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Kolisch Hartwell Dickinson McCormack & Heuser

20 NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 1 EXEMPLARY CLAIM:

4 Drawing Figure(s); 1 Drawing Page(s) NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:

525 LINE COUNT:

An external device for eluding masculine impotence, comprising: (A) SUPPORT, with a rigid core and a softer lining, it lies along the

to which it communicates its rigidity, since both are enveloped in a preservative. To avoid tautness, rubbing and pinching, the inner side

of

the preservative is previously wetted with an aqueous type lubricant. (B) FASTENER, made of rigid material, is attached to said support by means of two hinges, thus maintaining the support in its proper place despite the effort exerted during its use. (C) TIE, made of soft, flexible material, maintains the fastener well tightened to the body by pulling from it from the front and rear. It is useful for coitus performance when the erection is nonexistent or insufficient in intensity or duration.

ANSWER 3 OF 34 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999:76332 USPATFULL

Human factored interface incorporating adaptive TITLE:

pattern

recognition based controller apparatus

Hoffberg, Steven M., 20 Greystone Ter., Yonkers, NY, INVENTOR(S):

United States 10701-1705

Hoffberg-Borghesani, Linda I., 40 Jackson Dr., Acton,

MA, United States 01720

NUMBER DATE ______

PATENT INFORMATION: US 5920477 19990706

APPLICATION INFO : US 1995_469597 19950606 US 1995-469597 19950606 (8) APPLICATION INFO.:

RELATED APPLN. INFO.: Continuation of Ser. No. US 1991-812805, filed on 23

Dec 1991, now abandoned

DOCUMENT TYPE: Utility

PRIMARY EXAMINER: Gordon, Paul P. ASSISTANT EXAMINER: Brown, Thomas E

LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Hoffberg, Steven M.Milde, Hoffberg & Macklin, LLP

NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 23 EXEMPLARY CLAIM:

31 Drawing Figure(s); 27 Drawing Page(s) NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:

LINE COUNT: 7282

The need for a more-readily usable interface for programmable devices AB

widely recognized. The present invention relates to programmable sequencing devices, or, more particularly, the mote controls for consumer electronic devices. The present invent a provides an enhanced interface for facilitating human input of a desired control sequence in a programmable device by employing specialized visual feedback. The present invention also relates to a new interface and method of interfacing with a programmable device, which is usable as an interface for a programmable video cassette recorder.

ANSWER 4 OF 34 USPATFULL

1999:57123 USPATFULL ACCESSION NUMBER:

Human-factored interface corporating adaptive pattern TITLE:

recognition based controller apparatus

Hoffberg, Linda Irene, 40 Jackson Dr., Acton, MA, INVENTOR(S):

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Hoffberg, Steven M., 29 Buckout Rd., West Harrison,

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NUMBER _____

PATENT INFORMATION: US 5903454 1900000 (7)

PRIMARY EXAMINER: Gordon, Paul P. ASSISTANT EXAMINER: Brown, Thomas E. PRIMARY EXAMINER: LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Hoffberg, Steven M.

NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 37 EXEMPLARY CLAIM:

NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 31 Drawing Figure(s); 27 Drawing Page(s)

LINE COUNT: 5821

The need for a more-readily usable interface for programmable devices

widely recognized. The present invention relates to programmable sequencing devices, or, more particularly, the remote controls for consumer electronic devices. The present invention provides an enhanced interface for facilitating human input of a desired control sequence in a programmable device by employing specialized visual feedback. The present invention also relates to a new interface and method of interfacing with a programmable device, which is usable as an interface for a programmable video cassette recorder.

ANSWER 5 OF 34 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999:54455 USPATFULL

Ergonomic man-machine interface incorporating TITLE:

adaptive pattern recognition based control system Hoffberg, Steven M., 20 Greystone Ter., Yonkers, NY, INVENTOR(S):

United States 10701-1705

Hoffberg-Borghesani, Linda I., 40 Jackson Dr., Acton,

MA, United States 01720

NUMBER DATE _____

US 5901246 19990504 PATENT INFORMATION: US 1995-469104 19950606 (8) APPLICATION INFO.:

DOCUMENT TYPE: Utility

Mancuso, Joseph PRIMARY EXAMINER: ASSISTANT EXAMINER: Patel, Jayanti K. LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Hoffberg, Steven M.

NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 21 EXEMPLARY CLAIM:

NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 31 Drawing Figure(s); 27 Drawing Page(s)

LINE COUNT:

AB An adaptive interface for a programmable system, for predicting a desired user faction, based on user history, a well as machine internal statutand context. The apparatus receives an input from the user and other data. A predicted input is presented for confirmation by the user, and the predictive mechanism is updated based on this feedback. Also provided is a pattern recognition system for a

device, wherein a user input is matched to a video stream on a conceptual basis, allowing inexact programming of a multimedia device.

The system analyzes a data stream for correspondence with a data

for processing and storage. The data stream is subjected to adaptive pattern recognition to extract features of interest to provide a highly compressed representation which may be efficiently processed to determine correspondence. Applications of the interface and system include a VCR, medical device, vehicle control system, audio device, environmental control system, securities trading terminal, and smart house. The system optionally includes an actuator for effecting the environment of operation, allowing closed-loop feedback operation and automated learning.

L6 ANSWER 6 OF 34 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999:25321 USPATFULL

TITLE: Ergonomic man-machine interface incorporating

adaptive pattern recognition based control system Hoffberg, Steven M., 20 Greystone Ter., Yonkers, NY,

INVENTOR(S): Hoffberg, Steven M., 20 G.
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Hoffberg-Borghesani, Linda I., 40 Jackson Dr., Acton,

MA, United States 01720

NUMBER DATE

PATENT INFORMATION: US 5875108 19990223 APPLICATION INFO.: US 1995-471834 19950606 (8)

RELATED APPLN. INFO.: Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1991-812805, filed

on 23 Dec 1991

DOCUMENT TYPE: Utility

PRIMARY EXAMINER: Elmore, Reba I.
ASSISTANT EXAMINER: Brown, Thomas E

LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Hoffberg, Steven M.Milde, Hoffberg & Macklin, LLP

NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 13 EXEMPLARY CLAIM: 1

NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 32 Drawing Figure(s); 28 Drawing Page(s)

LINE COUNT: 9381

AB An adaptive interface for a programmable system, for predicting a desired user function, based on user history, as well as machine internal status and context. The apparatus receives an input from the user and other data. A predicted input is presented for confirmation by the user, and the predictive mechanism is updated based on this feedback. Also provided is a pattern recognition system for a

multimedia

device, wherein a user input is matched to a video stream on a conceptual basis, allowing inexact programming of a multimedia device. The system analyzes a data stream for correspondence with a data

pattern

for processing and storage. The data stream is subjected to adaptive pattern recognition to extract features of interest to provide a highly compressed representation which may be efficiently processed to determine correspondence. Applications of the interface and system include a VCR, medical device, vehicle control system, audio device, environmental control system, securities trading terminal, and smart house. The system optionally includes an actuator for effecting the environment of operation, allowing closed-loop feedback operation and automated learning.

L6 ANSWER 7 OF 34 ATFULL

1999:16722 USPATFULL ACCESSION NUMBER:

Morphological pattern recognition based controller TITLE:

svstem

Hoffberg, Steven M., 20 Greystone Ter., Yonkers, NY, INVENTOR(S):

United States 10701-1705

Hoffberg-Borghesani, Linda I., 40 Jackson Dr., Acton,

MA, United States 01720

NUMBER DATE _____

US 5867386 19990202 PATENT INFORMATION:
APPLICATION INFO.: US 1995-469068 19950606 (8) APPLICATION INFO.:

RELATED APPLN. INFO.: Continuation of Ser. No. US 1991-812805, filed on 23

Dec 1991

DOCUMENT TYPE: Utility

PRIMARY EXAMINER: Elmore, Reba I.
ASSISTANT EXAMINER: Brown, Thomas E.

LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Hoffberg, Steven M.Milde, Hoffberg & Macklin LLP

NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 29 EXEMPLARY CLAIM: 1

31 Drawing Figure(s); 27 Drawing Page(s) NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:

LINE COUNT: 5725

The need for a more-readily usable interface for programmable devices AB

is

widely recognized. The present invention relates to programmable sequencing devices, or, more particularly, the remote controls for consumer electronic devices. The present invention provides an enhanced interface for facilitating human input of a desired control sequence in a programmable device by employing specialized visual feedback. The present invention also relates to a new interface and method of interfacing with a programmable device, which is usable as an interface for a programmable video cassette recorder.

ANSWER 8 OF 34 USPATFULL

1998:148142 USPATFULL ACCESSION NUMBER:

Updating graphical objects based on object validity TITLE:

periods

Pose, Ronald David, Caulfield North, Australia INVENTOR(S): Regan, Matthew James, Glen Waverley, Australia

Monash University, Clayton, Australia (non-U.S. PATENT ASSIGNEE(S):

corporation)

NUMBER DATE _____

PATENT INFORMATION: US 5841439 19981124 APPLICATION INFO.: US 1997-847567 19970424 (8)

RELATED APPLN. INFO.: Division of Ser. No. US 1994-307330, filed on 16 Sep

1994, now abandoned

NUMBER DATE _____

AU 1994-701398 19940722 PRIORITY INFORMATION:

DOCUMENT TYPE: Utility PRIMARY EXAMINER: Nguyen, Phu K. ASSISTANT EXAMINER: Buchel, Rudolph

LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Fliesler, Dubb, Meyer & Lovejoy, LLP

NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 26 EXEMPLARY CLAIM:

27 Drawing Figure(s); 18 Drawing Page(s) NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:

LINE COUNT: 2552

A graphic display system includes a set of rendering engines and a

plurality of data storage units. Each data storage unit in the set of data storage units is coupled to at least one redering engine in the set of rendering engines. A selection means is cluded in the graphic display system for selecting a data storage unit in the plurality of data storage units. The selected data storage unit is to be used for storing data representing an object to be displayed by the graphic display system and is selected based on a validity period of the

The selection means includes means for determining a size validity period of the object and means for determining a translational validity period of the object. The translational validity period is a time required for the object to change by a predetermined translational threshold, wherein the predetermined translational threshold is a first angle extending from a line that passes through both a reference point and the object. The size validity period is a time required for the object to change by a predetermined size threshold, wherein the predetermined size threshold is a second angle extending from the line.

L6 ANSWER 9 OF 34 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998:76473 USPATFULL

TITLE: Human factored interface incorporating adaptive

pattern

INVENTOR(S):

object.

recognition based controller apparatus

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Hoffberg-Borghesani, Linda I., 40 Jackson Dr., Acton,

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NUMBER DATE

PATENT INFORMATION: US 5774357 19980630 APPLICATION INFO.: US 1995-471215 19950606 (8)

RELATED APPLN. INFO.: Continuation of Ser. No. US 1991-812805, filed on 23

Dec 1991

DOCUMENT TYPE: Utility

PRIMARY EXAMINER: Elmore, Reba I. ASSISTANT EXAMINER: Marc, McDieunel

LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Hoffberg, Steven M.Milde, Hoffberg & Macklin, LLP

NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 27 EXEMPLARY CLAIM: 1

NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 32 Drawing Figure(s); 28 Drawing Page(s)

LINE COUNT: 7695

AB A human interface device for a user, including a data transmission selector for selecting at least one of a plurality of simultaneously transmitted programs being responsive to an input; a program database containing information relating to at least one the plurality of programs, having an output; a graphical user interface for receiving user commands; and a controller for controlling the graphical user interface and the data transmission selector, the controller

determining

a user characteristic, receiving the output of the program database and presenting, based on the user characteristic and the program database, information relating to at least one of the plurality of programs on

the

graphic user interface in association with a command, the graphic user interface allowing the user to select the command and thereby authorize an operation in relation to the at least one of the plurality of programs. An objective user characteristic is detected based on one or more temporal-spatial user characteristics of the input, including a velocity component, an efficiency of input, an accuracy of input, an interruption of input and a high frequency component of the input signal.

L6 ANSWER 10 OF 34 PATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998:21203 USPATFULL

TITLE: Method for mediating social and behavioral processes

in

medicine and business through an interactive

telecommunications guidance system

INVENTOR(S): Bro, L. William, 8939 S. Sepulveda #530, Los Angeles,

CA, United States 90045

NUMBER DATE

PATENT INFORMATION: US 5722418 19980303 APPLICATION INFO.: US 1994-315630 19940930 (8)

RELATED APPLN. INFO.: Continuation of Ser. No. US 1993-112955, filed on 30

Aug 1993, now patented, Pat. No. US 5377258, issued on

27 Dec 1994

DOCUMENT TYPE: Utility

PRIMARY EXAMINER: Nasser, Robert ASSISTANT EXAMINER: Huang, Stephen LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Cislo & Thomas

NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 58 EXEMPLARY CLAIM: 1

NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 4 Drawing Figure(s); 4 Drawing Page(s)

LINE COUNT: 4076

AB A method for mediating social and behavioral influence processes through

an interactive telecommunications guidance system for use in medicine and business (10) that utilizes an expert (200) such as a

physician, counselor, manager, supervisor, trainer, or peer in association with a computer (16) that produces and sends a series of motivational messages and/or questions to a client, patient or employee (50) for changing or reinforcing a specific behavioral problem and goal management. The system (10) consists of a client database (12) and a client program (14) that includes for each client unique motivational messages and/or questions based on a model such as the transtheoretical model of change comprising the six stages of behavioral change (100)

and

the 14 processes of change (114), as interwining, interacting variables in the modification of health, mental health, and work site behaviors

of

the client or employee (50). The client program (14) in association

with

the expert (200) utilizes the associated 14 processes of change (114)

t.o

move the client (50) through one of the six stages of behavioral change (100) when appropriate by using a plurality of transmission and receiving means. The database and program are operated by a computer (16) that at preselected time periods sends the messages and/or questions to the client (50) through use of a variety of transmission means and furthermore selects a platform of behavioral issues that is

to

be addressed based on a given behavioral stage or goal (100) at a given time of day.

L6 ANSWER 11 OF 34 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998:19203 USPATFULL

TITLE: Physiological evaluation and exercise system
INVENTOR(S): Bond, Malcolm, Winters, CA, United States
Engle, Gary, Fair Oaks, CA, United States

Naumann, Theodore Fleidner, Shingle Springs, CA,

United

States

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Cedaron Medical, Inc., Davis, CA, United States (U.S.

NUMBER DATE

PATENT INFORMATION:

US 5720711 19980224

APPLICATION INFO.: US 1994-351502 19941207 (8)

RELATED APPLN. INFO.: Division of Ser. No. US 1991-789834, filed on 8 Nov

1991, now patented, Pat. No. US 5597373

DOCUMENT TYPE:

Utility

PRIMARY EXAMINER:

Donnelly, Jerome ASSISTANT EXAMINER: Richard, Glenn E.

LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Fliesler, Dubb, Meyer & Lovejoy

NUMBER OF CLAIMS:

14

EXEMPLARY CLAIM:

1

NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:

44 Drawing Figure(s); 40 Drawing Page(s)

LINE COUNT:

1763

AB

A system for isolating, evaluating and exercising the muscle groups of the human hand which includes structure for detecting the cardinal

movements of the hand and translating the movements

into rotational data for the system, the structure for detecting effectively isolating the movements of the hand so that the movements of other muscle groups of the body are not detected by the system. The system also generally includes an assembly for

providing

a selective variable resistance to the structure for detecting and for ascertaining the force applied to the structure for detecting by the movements of the hand.

ANSWER 12 OF 34 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER:

1998:4255 USPATFULL

TTTLE:

Methods of treating circadian rhythm phase disorders

INVENTOR(S):

Lewy, Alfred J., Portland, OR, United States Sack, Robert L., Portland, OR, United States Parrott, Keith A., Corvallis, OR, United States Ayres, James W., Corvallis, OR, United States

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S):

State of Oregon, Portland, OR, United States (U.S.

corporation)

NUMBER DATE

PATENT INFORMATION:

APPLICATION INFO.:

US 5707652 19980113 US 1995-480558 19950607 (8)

RELATED APPLN. INFO.:

Continuation of Ser. No. US 1993-97443, filed on 26

Jul

1993, now abandoned which is a continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1992-842723, filed on 25 Feb 1992, now patented, Pat. No. US 5242941 which is a continuation

of Ser. No. US 1990-621866, filed on 4 Dec 1990

DOCUMENT TYPE:

PRIMARY EXAMINER:

Rose, Shep K.

LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: McDonnell Boehnen Hulbert & Berghoff

NUMBER OF CLAIMS: EXEMPLARY CLAIM:

Utility

NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:

8 Drawing Figure(s); 8 Drawing Page(s)

LINE COUNT:

1162

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

Methods for treating circadian rhythm disorders and sleep disorders are described. The method involves oral administration of a sustained release composition of melatonin to produce a normal melatonin pattern when the normal pattern has been disrupted or is missing.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

ANSWER 13 OF 34 USPATFULL

97:114609 USPATFULL ACCESSION NUMBER:

Physiological evaluation and arcise system Bond, Malcolm, Winters, CA, Uned States TITLE: INVENTOR(S):

Engle, Gary, Fair Oaks, CA, United States

Forma, Joseph J., Grass Valley, CA, United States Naumann, Theodore F., Shingle Springs, CA, United

States (4)

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Cedaron Medical, Inc., Davis, CA, United States (U.S.

corporation)

NUMBER DATE _____

PATENT INFORMATION: US 5695431 19971209 APPLICATION INFO.: US 1994-350628 19941207 (8)

RELATED APPLN. INFO.: Division of Ser. No. US 1991-789834, filed on 8 Nov

1991, now patented, Pat. No. US 5597373

Utility DOCUMENT TYPE:

PRIMARY EXAMINER: Apley, Richard J.
ASSISTANT EXAMINER: Richman, Glenn E.
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Fliesler, Dubb, Meyer & Lovejoy

NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 1 EXEMPLARY CLAIM:

44 Drawing Figure(s); 40 Drawing Page(s) NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:

1734 LINE COUNT:

A system for isolating, evaluating and exercising the muscle groups of the human hand which includes apparatus for detecting the cardinal

movements of the hand and translating the movements

into rotational data for the system, the apparatus for detecting effectively isolating the movements of the hand so that the movements of other muscle groups of the body are not detected by the system. The system also generally includes a mechanism for

providing

a selective variable resistance to the apparatus for detecting and for ascertaining the force applied to the apparatus for detecting by the movements of the hand.

ANSWER 14 OF 34 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 97:62382 USPATFULL
TITLE: Device and method for estimating a mental decision Smyth, Christopher C., Fallston, MD, United States INVENTOR(S): PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): The United States of America as represented by the Secretary of the Army, Washington, DC, United States

(U.S. government)

NUMBER DATE _____

PATENT INFORMATION: US 5649061 19970715
APPLICATION INFO.: US 1995-439392 19950511 (8)
DOCUMENT TYPE: Utility

PRIMARY EXAMINER: Moore, David K.
ASSISTANT EXAMINER: Smith, Jeffrey S.
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Krosnick, Freda L.; Roberto, Muzio B.

NUMBER OF CLAIMS: EXEMPLARY CLAIM:

10 Drawing Figure(s); 7 Drawing Page(s) NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:

1348 LINE COUNT:

A device and method for estimating a mental decision to select a visual AB cue from the viewer's eye fixation and corresponding single

event evoked cerebral potential. The device comprises an

eyetracker, an electronic biosignal processor and a digital computer. The eyetracker determines the instantaneous viewing direction from oculometric measurements and a head position and orientation sensor.

The

electronic processor continually estimates the cerebral

electroencephalogramic potential from scalp surface measurements following corrections for electrooculogramic, ectromyogramic and electrocardiog mic artifacts. The digital comper analyzes the

viewing

direction data for a fixation and then extracts the corresponding single

event evoked cerebral potential. The fixation properties, such as duration, start and end pupil sizes, end state (saccade or blink)

and

gaze fixation count, and the parametric representation of the evoked potential are all inputs to an artificial neural network for outputting an estimate of the selection interest in the gaze point of regard. The artificial neural network is trained off-line prior to application to represent the mental decisions of the viewer. The device can be used to control computerized machinery from a video display by ocular gaze

point

of regard alone, by determining which visual cue the viewer is looking at and then using the estimation of the task-related selection as a selector switch.

ANSWER 15 OF 34 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER:

97:41323 USPATFULL

TITLE:

Spatial disorientation detector

INVENTOR (S):

Repperger, D. W., Dayton, OH, United States Albery, W. B., Spring Valley, OH, United States

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S):

The United States of America as represented by the Secretary of the Air Force, Washington, DC, United

States (U.S. government)

NUMBER _____

PATENT INFORMATION: US 5629848 133.222 US 1992-994200 19921204 (7)

DOCUMENT TYPE:

PRIMARY EXAMINER: Teska, Kevin J.
ASSISTANT EXAMINER: Louis-Jacques, Jacques H.

LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Hollins, Gerald B.; Kundert, Thomas L.

NUMBER OF CLAIMS:

12

EXEMPLARY CLAIM:

1 33 Drawing Figure(s); 17 Drawing Page(s)

NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: LINE COUNT:

850

A spatial disorientation detector system capable of warning a pilot of potentially disorienting flight conditions in response to Kalman filter modeling of human response characteristics. The Kalman filter models

are

representative of human semicircular canal and otolith responses and

are

capable of more accurate prediction of actual pilot disorientation conditions than are systems which respond with simple magnitude measurement of disorientation stress. Examples of disorienting environments are also disclosed.

ANSWER 16 OF 34 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER:

97:22054 USPATFULL

TITLE:

Vehicle brake-pressure control device

INVENTOR(S):

Nell, Joachim, Ostfildern, Germany, Federal Republic

of

Fritzsching, Torsten, Ludwigsburg, Germany, Federal

Republic of

Kruse, Werner, Schorndorf, Germany, Federal Republic

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S):

Mercedes-Benz AG, Germany, Federal Republic of

(non-U.S. corporation)

NUMBER DATE _____

US 5611606 19970318 US 1994-326283 19941020 (8) PATENT INFORMATION: APPLICATION INFO.:

> NUMBER DATE ______

PRIORITY INFORMATION: DE 1993-4335769 19931020

DOCUMENT TYPE:

PRIMARY EXAMINER:

LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:

NUMBER OF CLAIMS:

15

1 Proving Page(s)

NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 3 Drawing Figure(s); 3 Drawing Page(s)
LINE COUNT: 1086

A brake-pressure control device for a hydraulic multi-circuit brake system provides for brake-pressure generation, in addition to a brake unit, hydraulic regulating cylinders with electromotively drivable pistons. By electronic activation of the cylinders, the wheel brakes

can

be activated even without the cooperation of the driver. In the regulating cylinders of the front-wheel brakes, the pistons have a

basic

position, out of which brake-pressure build-up and reduction strokes

can

be executed. The pistons of the regulating cylinders of the rear-wheel brakes have a basic position which corresponds to the largest volume of the outlet-pressure spaces. The regulating cylinders are equipped with electronic position transmitters. A sensor whose output signal measures the expected value of the vehicle deceleration with which the driver wishes to brake is also provided. The brake-pressure build-up on the rear-wheel brakes takes place solely by the brake-pressure regulating members and on the front-wheel brakes both as a result of the actuation of the brake unit and as a result of the activation of the brake-pressure regulating members with the effect of a follow-up of the pistons into the position linked to the expected value of the vehicle deceleration.

ANSWER 17 OF 34 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 97:7491 USPATFULL

Physiological evaluation and exercise system TITLE: Bond, Malcolm, Winters, CA, United States INVENTOR(S): Engle, Gary, Fair Oaks, CA, United States

Forma, Joseph J., Grass Valley, CA, United States Naumann, Theodore F., Shingle Springs, CA, United

States (4)

Cedaron Medical, Inc., Davis, CA, United States (U.S. PATENT ASSIGNEE(S):

corporation)

NUMBER DATE

_____ PATENT INFORMATION: US 5597373 19970128 APPLICATION INFO.: US 1991-789834 19911108 (7)

Utility DOCUMENT TYPE:

PRIMARY EXAMINER: PRIMARY EXAMINER: Apley, Richard J.
ASSISTANT EXAMINER: Richman, Glenn E.
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Fliesler, Dubb. N

Fliesler, Dubb, Meyer & Lovejoy LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:

NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 17 EXEMPLARY CLAIM:

NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 44 Drawing Figure(s); 40 Drawing Page(s)

1822 LINE COUNT:

A system for isolating, evaluating and exercising the muscle groups of the human hand, wrist, arm and shoulder including an adaptable detector

for interpreting the cardinal movements of at least one muscle group of the during flexion, extension, or eviation of the wrist, or abduction, position, flexion or hyperexten on of individual

digits

of the hand. The detector translates the movements of the muscle group into rotational data for the system and effectively isolates the movements of the muscle group so that the movements of other muscle groups of the body are not detected by the system. The system also includes a controlled resistance coupled to the detector which provides a variable resistance against the muscle group and ascertains the force applied to the detector by the movements of the one muscle group. The resistance can be varied to provide isotonic, isokinetic, or isometric modes of testing against said at least one muscle group.

ANSWER 18 OF 34 USPATFULL

96:114195 USPATFULL ACCESSION NUMBER:

Method of using and apparatus for use with exercise TITLE:

machines to achieve programmable variable resistance Anjanappa, Muniswamappa, Columbia, MD, United States

INVENTOR(S): Miller, Warren G., Linthicum, MD, United States

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S):

University of Maryland Baltimore Campus, Baltimore,

MD,

United States (U.S. corporation)

NUMBER DATE _____

US 5583403 19961210 PATENT INFORMATION: US 1995-435380 19950505 (8) APPLICATION INFO.:

Division of Ser. No. US 1994-266901, filed on 24 Jun RELATED APPLN. INFO.:

1994

DOCUMENT TYPE: Utility

PRIMARY EXAMINER: Sircus, Brian
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Armstrong, Westerman, Hattori, McLeland & Naughton

NUMBER OF CLAIMS: EXEMPLARY CLAIM:

24 Drawing Figure(s); 16 Drawing Page(s) NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:

LINE COUNT: 1662

An exercise machine which can independently vary the force and the AB

speed

at the user end is developed. The exercise machine includes a constant torque, variable speed reversible motor, a temperature controlled magnetic particle clutch, a gear reducer, a controller, and a suitable lever mechanism. The motor, clutch and gear reducer are chosen in a combination in order to achieve a predetermined output so that any combination of isotonic, isokinetic, isometric, isotonic/isokinetic, constant, variable, active, passive, uni-directional or bi-directional exercise routines can be performed with the exercise machine. With suitable lever modifications, the resistance providing unit can be successfully modified to emulate a shoulder press, bench press, leg exercise machine, arm exercise machine, etc. The output parameters,

user

force and user speed, are controlled in real time to maintain accuracy. This is made possible by the use of a PC-based controller interfaced to off-the-shelf motor and clutch control boards. A user interface written in C programming language helps facilitate maintenance of user exercise records for future reference, maintains the large array of protocols

and

encourages direct user participation for protocol selection. The PC-based controller can also be replaced with a microcontroller-based controller to minimize the cost. The machine features three different levels of safety ensuring total user safety and minimizing any chances of mishaps.

L6 ANSWER 19 OF 34 PATFULL

96:98678 USPATFULL ACCESSION NUMBER:

TITLE:

Method of using and apparatus for use with exercise machines to achieve programmable variable resistance Anjanappa, Muniswamappa, Columbia, MD, United States

Miller, Warren G., Linthicum, MD, United States

University of Maryland-Baltimore County, Baltimore, PATENT ASSIGNEE(S):

INVENTOR(S):

United States (U.S. corporation)

NUMBER DATE _____

US 5569120 19961029 PATENT INFORMATION: US 5569120 19940624 (8) APPLICATION INFO.:

Utility DOCUMENT TYPE:

PRIMARY EXAMINER: Crow, Stephen R.
ASSISTANT EXAMINER: Richman, Glenn E.
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Armstrong, Westerman, Hattori, McLeland and Naughton PRIMARY EXAMINER:

NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 40 1 EXEMPLARY CLAIM:

24 Drawing Figure(s); 16 Drawing Page(s) NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:

3874 LINE COUNT:

An exercise machine which can independently vary the force and the AB speed

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and

encourages direct user participation for protocol selection. The PC-based controller can also be replaced with a microcontroller-based controller to minimize the cost. The machine features three different levels of safety ensuring total user safety and minimizing any chances of mishaps.

ANSWER 20 OF 34 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 95:64003 USPATFULL

Method for predicting alertness and bio-compatibility TITLE:

of work schedule of an individual

Moore-Ede, Martin C., 110 Hundreds Rd., Wellesley INVENTOR(S):

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Mitchell, Ross E., 4 Allston St., West Newton, MA,

United States 02165-2554

NUMBER DATE US 5433223 19950718

PATENT INFORMATION: US 1993-154359 19931118 (8) APPLICATION INFO.:

Utility DOCUMENT TYPE: PRIMARY EXAMINER: Smith, Ruth S. LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Pressman, David R.

NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 15 EXEMPLARY CLAIM: 1

NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 19 Drawing Figure(s); 14 Drawing Page(s)

LINE COUNT: 1036

AB A method enables the prediction of the likely alertness level of an individual at a given point in time based upon the analysis of certain biological and other parameters associated with the individual subject including, circadian phase of the biological clock, accumulated acute

or

chronic sleep deprivation, shift commencement and termination time,

time

of last sleep, environmental light, etc. Among other advantages, the method facilitates the creation of bio-compatible schedules for shift workers by providing an accurate model of the likely alertness level of the individual on a specific schedule.

L6 ANSWER 21 OF 34 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 95:33211 USPATFULL

TITLE: Method and apparatus for truth detection

INVENTOR(S): Farwell, Lawrence A., Potomac, MD, United States
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Conte, Francis Luca, Swampscott, MA, United States

(U.S. individual)

NUMBER DATE

PATENT INFORMATION: US 5406956 19950418
APPLICATION INFO.: US 1993-16215 19930211 (8)

DOCUMENT TYPE: Utility

PRIMARY EXAMINER: Sykes, Angela D. LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Conte, Francis L.

NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 31 EXEMPLARY CLAIM: 1

NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 15 Drawing Figure(s); 10 Drawing Page(s)

LINE COUNT: 6894

Amethod of detecting information stored in the brain of a subject includes presenting to the subject in oddball series Probe, Target, and Irrelevant stimuli. The Probe stimuli are relevant to a situation under investigation; the Irrelevant stimuli are not; and the Target stimuli are identified to the subject as being noteworthy, and in response to which the subject is instructed to perform a task. The Target stimuli like the Probe stimuli are relevant to the situation under investigation. The method also includes detecting electrical brain responses for each of the stimuli; analyzing the responses for uncovering an event related brain potential; and comparing the Probe responses with the Target responses to determine whether the subject recognizes the Probes, and comparing the Probe responses with the Irrelevant responses to determine whether the subject does not recognize the Probes. Three exemplary headbands are disclosed for positioning electrodes at preferred locations on the subject's scalp

for

obtaining electrical responses therefrom.

L6 ANSWER 22 OF 34 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 95:5149 USPATFULL

TITLE: Cutaneous testing device for determining nervous

system

function

INVENTOR(S): Tuckett, Robert P., Salt Lake City, UT, United States

Horch, Kenneth W., Salt Lake City, UT, United States Fisher, John H., Salt Lake City, UT, United States

Evans, Barry L., Murray, UT, United States

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Topical Testing, Inc., Salt Lake City, UT, United

NUMBER DATE

PATENT INFORMATION: US 5381805 19950117 APPLICATION INFO.: US 1992-943438 19920909 (7)

RELATED APPLN. INFO.: Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1991-713397, filed

on 10 Jun 1991 which is a continuation-in-part of Ser.

No. US 1990-469280, filed on 24 Jan 1990, now

patented,

Pat. No. US 5022407, issued on 11 Jun 1991

DOCUMENT TYPE: Utility

PRIMARY EXAMINER: Sykes, Angela D. LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Madson & Metcalf

NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 22 EXEMPLARY CLAIM: 1

NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 5 Drawing Figure(s); 4 Drawing Page(s)

LINE COUNT: 1169

AB An automatic apparatus for testing cutaneous responses of a patient is disclosed. The embodiments of the invention variously include

components

for: applying a nonambient temperature to the patient's skin to test

the

patient's response to thermal stimuli; pricking the patient's skin to test the patient's response to pain; indenting the patient's skin to test the patient's response to touch; vibrating the patient's skin to test the patient's response to vibration; and for making two spaced apart contacts with the patient's skin to test the patient's two point discrimination response. A general purpose computer and dedicated control circuits function to control the operation of the system and record the responses of the patient. The embodiments of the present invention are able to repeatedly reproduce each test so that the tests carried out are reproducible and accomplished in a minimum of time.

L6 ANSWER 23 OF 34 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 94:73711 USPATFULL

TITLE: Holographic display system

INVENTOR(S): Rowan, Larry, 34401/2 Caroline Ave., Culver City, CA,

United States 90230

NUMBER DATE

PATENT INFORMATION: US 5341229 19940823 APPLICATION INFO.: US 1990-548750 19900705 (

RELATED APPLN. INFO.: Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1988-244331, filed

on 14 Jul 1988, now abandoned

DOCUMENT TYPE: Utility

PRIMARY EXAMINER: Sikes, William L. ASSISTANT EXAMINER: Parsons, David

NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 8 EXEMPLARY CLAIM: 1

NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 90 Drawing Figure(s); 60 Drawing Page(s)

LINE COUNT: 2130

AB A portable holographic display system emboding holographic plates which are disposed upon a plurality of thin film holographic emulsions coupled

to multiple channel Kerr units that generate a series of multi-colored holographic images. The holographic images generated by transmission thin film emulsions are based on the number and order that multiple light channels, fiber optics elements and thin film holographic emulsions are illuminated. The process of illumination depends directly on the activation sequence of lens elements or cells, which contain an optically active medium controlled by command signals from a central control means coupled to a source of electrical power.

L6 ANSWER 24 OF 34 SPATFULL

93:440 USPATFULL ACCESSION NUMBER:

Assessment and modification of circadian phase and TITLE:

amplitude

Czeisler, Charles A., Cambridge, MA, United States INVENTOR (S):

Kronauer, Richard E., Cambridge, MA, United States Allan, James S., Pittsburgh, PA, United States Brigham and Women's Hospital, Boston, MA, United

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S):

States

(U.S. corporation)

NUMBER DATE

PATENT INFORMATION: US 5176133 19930105 APPLICATION INFO.: US 1989-365949 19890615 (7)

RELATED APPLN. INFO.: Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1987-66677, filed

on 26 Jun 1987

DOCUMENT TYPE:

Utility

PRIMARY EXAMINER: Smith, Ruth S.

LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Sterne, Kessler, Goldstein & Fox

NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 10

1

EXEMPLARY CLAIM: NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:

58 Drawing Figure(s); 46 Drawing Page(s)

LINE COUNT:

3649

A method for accurately assessing and rapidly modifying the phase and amplitude of the endogenous circadian pacemaker is disclosed. A circadian cycle modification capacity assessment method comprises (before and after a stimulus) eliminating activity-related confounding factors associated with the sleep-rest cycle which otherwise mask the state of the endogenous circadian pacemaker. Based on either individual or normative assessment data, the circadian phase and amplitude modification method involves the application of bright (about 9,500

lux)

light and, advantageously, episodes of imposed darkness, at critically chosen phases to achieve rapid and stable changes in phase and amplitude. The timing of the episodes of bright light may be chosen either by reference to empirically-derived phase response data, or by using a mathematical model in which the endogenous circadian pacemaker is a van der Pol oscillator. A forcing function in the model is substantially proportional to changes in the cube root of the surrounding illuminance, in lux. The amplitude of the endogenous circadian pacemaker may actually be reduced to substantially zero, so

to bring about dramatic phase modifications in diminishingly small periods of time. The methods find special utility in treating "jet lag" sufferers, shift workers, advanced circadian phase experienced by many elderly subjects, and those afflicted with delayed sleep phase

insomnia.

L6 ANSWER 25 OF 34 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 92:98213 USPATFULL

TITLE:

Assessment and modification of endogenous circadian

phase and amplitude

INVENTOR (S):

Czeisler, Charles A., Cambridge, MA, United States Kronauer, Richard E., Cambridge, MA, United States

Allan, James S., Boston, MA, United States

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S):

Brigham and Women's Hospital, Boston, MA, United

States

(U.S. corporation)

NUMBER DATE ______ PATENT INFORMATION: US 5167228 19921201
APPLICATION INFO.: US 1990-521041 19900509 (7)

RELATED APPLN. INFO.: Continuation-in-part of Ser. N US 1987-66677, filed

on 26 Jun 1987

DOCUMENT TYPE: Utility

PRIMARY EXAMINER: Smith, Ruth S.

LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Sterne, Kessler, Goldstein & Fox

NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 72 EXEMPLARY CLAIM: 1

NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 59 Drawing Figure(s); 47 Drawing Page(s)

LINE COUNT: 4082

AB A method for accurately assessing and rapidly modifying the phase and amplitude of the endogenous circadian pacemaker is disclosed. A circadian cycle modification capacity assessment method comprises (before and after a stimulus) eliminating activity-related confounding factors associated with the sleep-rest cycle which otherwise mask the state of the endogenous circadian pacemaker. Based on either individual or normative assessment data, the circadian phase and amplitude modification method involves the application of bright (about 9,500)

lux)

light and, advantageously, episodes of imposed darkness, at critically chosen phases to achieve rapid and stable changes in phase and amplitude. The timing of the episodes of bright light may be chosen either by reference to empirically-derived phase response data, or by using a mathematical model in which the endogenous circadian pacemaker is a second order differential equation of the van der Pol type, transformed into two complementary first order equations. A forcing function in the model is substantially proportional to changes in the cube root of the surrounding illuminance, in lux. The amplitude of the endogenous circadian pacemaker may actually be reduced to substantially zero, so as to bring about dramatic phase modifications in

diminishingly

small periods of time. The methods find special utility in treating

lag" sufferers, shift workers, advanced circadian phase experienced by many elderly subjects, and those afflicted with delayed sleep phase insomnia.

L6 ANSWER 26 OF 34 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 92:94121 USPATFULL

TITLE: Assessment and modification of a subject's endogenous

circadian cycle

INVENTOR(S): Czeisler, Charles A., Cambridge, MA, United States Kronauer, Richard E., Cambridge, MA, United States

Kronauer, Richard E., Cambridge, MA, United States Allan, James S., Pittsburgh, PA, United States Brigham and Women's Hospital, Boston, MA, United

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S):

States

(U.S. corporation)

NUMBER DATE

PATENT INFORMATION: US 5163426 19921117
APPLICATION INFO.: US 1987-66677 19870626 (7)

DOCUMENT TYPE: Utility

PRIMARY EXAMINER: Smith, Ruth S.

LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Sterne, Kessler, Goldstein & Fox

NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 26 EXEMPLARY CLAIM: 1

NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 40 Drawing Figure(s); 40 Drawing Page(s)

LINE COUNT: 2836

AB A method for accurately assessing and rapidly modifying the phase and amplitude of the endogenous circadian pacemaker is disclosed. A circadian cycle modification capacity assessment method comprises (before and after a stimulus) eliminating activity-related confounding

factors associated with the sleep-rest cycle which otherwise mask the state of the appenous circadian pacemaker. Band on either individual or normative appenous data, the circadian phase and amplitude modification method involves the application of bright (about 9,500

lux)

light and, advantageously, episodes of imposed darkness, at critically chosen phases to achieve rapid and stable changes in phase and amplitude. The timing of the episodes of bright light may be chosen either by reference to empirically-derived phase response data, or by using a mathematical model in which the endogenous circadian pacemaker is a van der Pol oscillator. A forcing function in the model is substantially proportional to changes in the cube root of the surrounding illuminance, in lux. The amplitude of the endogenous circadian pacemaker may actually be reduced to substantially zero, so

as

to bring about dramatic phase modifications in diminishingly small periods of time. The methods find special utility in treating "jet lag" sufferers, shift workers, advanced circadian phase experienced by many elderly subjects, and those afflicted with delayed sleep phase

insomnia.

L6 ANSWER 27 OF 34 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 92:46869 USPATFULL

TITLE: Factor Xa based anticoagulant compositions

INVENTOR(S): Esmon, Charles T., Oklahoma City, OK, United States Taylor, Jr., Fletcher B., Oklahoma City, OK, United

States

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Oklahoma Medical Research Foundation, Oklahoma City,

OK, United States (U.S. corporation)

NUMBER DATE
----US 5120537 19920609

PATENT INFORMATION: US 5120537 19920609 APPLICATION INFO.: US 1989-367544 19890614 (7)

DOCUMENT TYPE: Utility

PRIMARY EXAMINER: Stone, Jacqueline LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Kilpatrick & Cody

NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 18 EXEMPLARY CLAIM: 1

NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 2 Drawing Figure(s); 3 Drawing Page(s)

LINE COUNT: 653

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB An anticoagulant composition containing an effective amount of factor Xa

having the active serine site inactivated that functions rapidly and effectively in vivo to suppress coagulation. In a preferred embodiment, Factor Xa, a serine esterase that forms a complex with Factor Va, Ca++, and phospholipid to catalyze prothrombin activation, is first inactivated with an active site inhibitor, such as dansyl-glu-gly-arg-chloromethyl ketone, to form inactivated factor Xa. In another embodiment, Factor Xa is expressed from a gene sequence wherein the portion encoding the active serine region is modified. The inactivated protein retains the ability to bind to endogenous factor Va in vivo,

and

has a half-life of approximately ten hours. Administration of inactive factor Xa to the blood of a patient results in the formation of inactive

factor Xa-Va complexes in vivo, thereby inhibiting coagulation.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L6 ANSWER 28 OF 34 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 92:26146 USPATFULL

TITLE: Intrusion-free physiological condition

monitoring INVENTOR(S):

Tripp, Jr., Lloyd D., Dayton, United States Albery, William B., Kettering, H, United States Ellison, Richard E., Maryland Heights, MO, United

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S):

The United States of America as represented by the Secretary of the Air Force, Washington, DC, United

States (U.S. government)

NUMBER DATE _____

PATENT INFORMATION:

US 1039 19920407

APPLICATION INFO.:

US 1988-172146 19881114 (3)

DOCUMENT TYPE:

Statutory

PRIMARY EXAMINER:

Carone, Michael J.

LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:

Singer, Donald J.; Franz, Bernard E.; Hollins, Gerald

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NUMBER OF CLAIMS: EXEMPLARY CLAIM:

15 1

NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:

5 Drawing Figure(s); 3 Drawing Page(s)

LINE COUNT:

775

A physiological well-being monitoring system especially suited AΒ for use by the pilot or other aircrew members of a high-performance aircraft such as a tactical aircraft is disclosed. The monitoring arrangement includes non-invasive sensing of arterial blood supply in the cranial adjacent portions of the pilot's body through the use of pulsating vascular bed optical signal transmission. The signal transmission is accomplished by way of sensors included in a pilet invisible and non-obstructing modification of, for example, the oxygen mask portion of the pilot life-support apparatus. Use of the

physiological monitoring signals to generate alarm or assume control of the aircraft is also disclosed along with representative

data

associated with the sensed pilot physiological well-being indicators.

L6 ANSWER 29 OF 34 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER:

91:101414 USPATFULL Barrierized cigarette

TITLE: INVENTOR(S):

Perrine, Charles P., 2534 Terrace Rd., Fort Wayne, IN,

United States 46805

NUMBER DATE _____

APPLICATION INFO.:

PATENT INFORMATION: US 5072743 19911217
APPLICATION INFO.: US 1981-336443 19811231 (6)

RELATED APPLN. INFO.:

Continuation of Ser. No. US 1978-925429, filed on 17

Jul 1978, now abandoned

DOCUMENT TYPE:

Utility

PRIMARY EXAMINER: NUMBER OF CLAIMS:

Millin, V.

20

EXEMPLARY CLAIM:

NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:

25 Drawing Figure(s); 3 Drawing Page(s)

LINE COUNT:

2354

Differentiation of surface is utilized for the prevention or arrest of forward finger edge slippage along the surface of a cigarette under new perception and consideration of all significant factors, including the

human factor. Provision is sometimes included for automatic extinguishing of the cigarette or destruction of its smokable utility prior to dissipation of the means against slippage. A cigarette is manufactured having predetermined control against its being smoked

or

burned the full length of its tabacco content. Means employed are varying adaptations of physics and chemistry but basic is

L6 ANSWER 30 OF 34 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 87:5804 USPATFULL

TITLE: Apparatus and methods for providing rapid protection

from accelerative forces experienced by aircraft crew

members

INVENTOR(S): Krogh, Steven B., King County, WA, United States

Lloyd, Adam J. P., Seattle, WA, United States

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): The Boeing Company, Seattle, WA, United States (U.S.

corporation)

NUMBER DATE

PATENT INFORMATION: US 4638791 19870127 APPLICATION INFO.: US 1985-757740 19850722 (6)

DOCUMENT TYPE: Utility

PRIMARY EXAMINER: Recla, Henry J. LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Hughes & Cassidy

NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 31 EXEMPLARY CLAIM: 1

NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 6 Drawing Figure(s); 4 Drawing Page(s)

LINE COUNT: 865

AB Apparatus and methods for increasing the tolerance level of an aircraft aircrew member to G forces by providing a rapid response to the onset

of
the normal accelerative forces to inflate an anti-G suit worn by the
aircrew member. An electronic controller controls a servo valve which

turn controls a main valve for regulating the flow of gas into the inflatable G suit. The G suit is worn by the aircraft crew member to prevent pooling of blood in the lower portion of the body during aircraft maneuvers when G forces are experienced. The electronic controller receives a first input indicative of the amount of force applied to the control stick of the aircraft by the crew member, and a second input indicative of measured accelerative forces which are

normal

in

to the longitudinal axis of the aircraft. The electronic controller, preferably a microprocessor based controller, is responsive to the

first

input, and includes a programmable memory for storing data defining a schedule of the anticipated accelerative force levels which the ift

will experience as a function of the applied control stick force. The microprocessor is programmed to decrease the anticipated accelerative force levels at a predetermined rate which is approximately equivalent to the rate of increase of measured accelerative forces. The

anticipated

force level is added to the actual accelerative force level to produce

command output for controlling the servo valve and/or for controlling a pressure regulator to initiate positive pressure breathing in a breathing device worn by the aircrew member.

L6 ANSWER 31 OF 34 INSPEC COPYRIGHT 2000 IEE

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996:5280774 INSPEC

DOCUMENT NUMBER: C9607-7460-010

TITLE: Haptic specification of environmental events

: implications for the design of adaptive, virtual

interfaces.

AUTHOR: Brickman, B.J.; Hettinger, L.J.; Roe, M.M.; Liem Lu

(Logicon Tech. Services Inc., Dayton, OH, USA);

SOURCE:

Repperger, D.W.; Haas, M.W.

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Future airborne crewstations are currently being designed that will incorporate multisensory virtual displays to convey operationally relevant

information to crew members. In addition, these displays and associated controls will be designed to adapt to the changing psychological and physiological state of the user, and the tactical/environmental state of the external world. In support of this design goal, research is being conducted to explore the information extraction capabilities of the sensory modalities. Toward this end, an experiment was conducted to assess

the degree to which force-reflective haptic stimulation can be used to provide individuals with information about their location and movement through space. Specifically, a force-reflecting, haptically-augmented aircraft control stick was designed and utilized

the goal of providing pilots with real-time information concerning lateral

deviation (or "line-up") with respect to the runway in a simulated instrument landing task. Pilots executed simulated landing approaches with either the force-reflecting stick or a standard aircraft displacement stick under either calm or turbulent conditions. The results indicated a consistent advantage in performance and perceived workload

the force-reflecting stick, particularly under conditions of simulated turbulence. The results are discussed in terms of their relevance for the design of advanced airborne crewstations that utilize multisensory, adaptive, virtual interfaces.

L6 ANSWER 32 OF 34 EUROPATFULL COPYRIGHT 2000 WILA

PATENT APPLICATION - PATENTANMELDUNG - DEMANDE DE BREVET

ACCESSION NUMBER: 995466 EUROPATFULL EW 200017 FS OS

TITLE: SIMULATOR PRECISION DEVICE APPLIED TO CYCLING.

PRAeZISIONSSIMULATIONSVORRICHTUNG FUER DAS

FAHRRADFAHREN.

DISPOSITIF SIMULATEUR DE PRECISION CON U POUR

· X

LE CYCLISME.

INVENTOR(S): Alvarez Fernandez, Manuel, Avda. Castrelos, 54 Ent,

36210 Vigo, ES

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Alvarez Fernandez, Manuel, Avda. Castrelos, 54 Ent,

36210 Vigo, ES

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PATENT INFO. PUB. TYPE EPA1 EUROPAEISCHE PATENTANMELD (Internationale

Anmeldung)

PATENT INFORMATION:

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PATENT APPLICATION - PATENTANMELDUNG - DEMANDE DE BREVET

EUROPATFULL EW 199732 FS OS ACCESSION NUMBER: 787471

TITLE: External device for eluding masculine impotence.

Aeussere Vorrichtung zur Behebung maennlicher Impotenz.

Dispositif externe pour remedier a l'impuissance

masculine.

INVENTOR(S): Romero Vergara, Roberto Jose, Turina, 10 - 1, 47006

Valladolid, ES

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Romero Vergara, Roberto Jose, Turina, 10 - 1, 47006

Valladolid, ES

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ANSWER 34 OF 34 EUROPATFULL COPYRIGHT 2000 WILA L6

GRANTED PATENT - ERTEILTES PATENT - BREVET DELIVRE

ACCESSION NUMBER: 363440 EUROPATFULL EW 199720 FS PS

METHOD FOR FACILITATING THE PHYSIOLOGICAL TITLE:

> ADAPTION TO AN ACTIVITY/REST SCHEDULE AND APPARATUS FOR PRESCRIBING A SUBSTANTIALLY OPTIMUM STIMULUS REGIMEN OF PULSES OF BRIGHT LIGHT TO ALLOW A SUBJECT'S CIRCADIAN

CYCLE TO BE MODIFIED TO A DESIRED STATE.

GERAET ZUM VORSCHREIBEN EINER OPTIMALEN ABFOLGE VON LICHTIMPULSEN ZUR BEEINFLUSSUNG DES ZIRCADIANEN

RHYTHMUS

UND VERFAHREN ZUM ERLEICHTERN DER

PHYSIOLOGISCHEN ANPASSUNG AN EIN BESTIMMTES

AKTIVITAeTS-RUHE-SCHEMA.

PROCEDE DE FACILITER L'ADAPTION PHYSIOLOGIQUE A UN SCHEMA D'ACTIVITE ET DE REPOS ET APPAREIL DE

PRESCRIRE UNE SERIE DES IMPULSIONS DE LA LUMIERE CLAIRE

POUR MODIFIER LA CYCLE CIRCADIENNE.

CZEISLER, Charles, A., 380 Harvard Street, Cambridge, INVENTOR(S): MA

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KRONAUER, Richard, E., 14 Chauncy Street, Cambridge, MA

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ALLAN, James, S., 5700 Bunker Hill Street, Pittsburgh,

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